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PREDICT SHORTAGE OF FREIGHT CARS

Shippers Asked To Help Situation by Reducing Detention of Cars.

ALL CARS NOW IN USE

Regional Director Says Only Most Careful Handling Can Prevent Serious Interference With Business.

The following statement was authorized today by the Regional Director's office, Southern Region, United States Railroad Administration:

"Another shortage of freight cars is in prospect for the coming fall and winter. Instead of the surplus of equipment to be found on nearly all railroads during the dull days before the after-the-war business revival set in, every piece of equipment now is in use on many lines and only the most careful handling by the railroads with consistent and wholehearted co-operation from the shipping public can prevent serious interference with business.

"Federal managers have been called upon by the Railroad Administratin to utilize equipment to the fullest possible extent, and particularly to see that cars are set in motion promptly upon being loaded or unloaded.

"Shippers are asked to lend a hand both by reducing detention of cars to a minimum and by careful and heavy loading so that the greatest possible service may be had from each car. From a purely selfish business standpoint, of course, it is to the interest of freight to do his part toward minimizing the effects of a car shortage from which he will suffer along with the public generally."

WIFE SHOOTS HUSBAND

Discharges Four Shots, One of Which Makes Slight Wound in Shoulder

Some excitement was caused at the intersection of Cameron and Washington streets at half past ten o'clock last night by the sound of four pistol shots. Officer Campbell hastened to the scene and found that Jane Lewis, colored, had shot her husband, John Lewis. The woman was taken in custody and her husband conveyed to the Alexandria Hospital, where it was found that a ball had made a slight wound in the man's shoulder.

The wounded man was present when the case came up in the Police Court this morning. The wife alleged that her husband has been consorting with other women, taking them on joy rides in automobiles of which he has charge. She also alleged that he is cruel toward her, having recently assaulted her.

The woman is the mother of two children, one an infant. The case was continued for five days, and the accused was released on her own recognizance.

MAPP ANTI-TRUST BILL

Courts of Justice Committee of Senate Orders Favorable Report

Richmond, Va., Aug. 27.—With practically no opposition developing, the Senate Committee on Courts of Justice Monday afternoon put the stamp of its approval on the Mapp anti trust act which is being considered at this special session by reason of executive recommendation.

During the consideration of the measure Senator E. Lee Trinkle suggested that, at a nearly date, a bill be introduced to validate all acts passed at this session that affect the revised code which will be the law of the State on and after January next. The validating act is thought necessary by reason of provisions in the new code which would seem to repeal many laws passed before the code is effective. Senator Mapp expressed the opinion that possibly the new code contains a saving clause which may render validating act unnecessary.

Select Hard Shell Crabs—Jacob Grill's foot of King Street. 204-6p.

COMMERCIAL COURSE

A. H. S. Secures Services of Miss Brauchler to Teach

The city school board announces the re-opening of the commerial course in the Alexandria High High School at the coming session. The board has secured the services of Miss Marie Brauchler as teacher in this course. Miss Brauchler is a graduate of Bowling Green Business University, Kentucky. Members of the board feel confident that under the direction the work this year will be very successful. News of the reopening of this course will be received with general gratifcation by the pupils.

PASSING OF THE FLU

Health Officer of Cincinnati Believes Epidemic Danger Past

Cincinnati, Aug. 27.—Recurrence of of influenza in epidemic form this fall is unlikely, says Health Officer William H. Peters, of Cincinnati, taking issue with Dr. Royal S. Copeland, New York health commissioner. The State and nation have been "pretty well immunized by the disease last fall and winter," said Dr. Peters. Epidemics of such character as a rule do not strike twice in the same place, he said.

"Of course, there will be instances of influenza, the same as we have had every year," he continued, "but I do not anticipate a recurrence of the disease in epidemic form.

WOMAN SLAIN IN RIOT

Mrs. Fannie Sellins is Shot to Death Near Pittsburgh.

Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Fannie Sellins, organizer for the United Mine Workers of America, and an unidentified miner were shot dead in a strike riot near the entrance to a mine of the Allegheny Steel Company, near Tarentum, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Another miner was wounded and taken to the Allegheny Valley Hospital.

The shots are reported to have been fired by officers in the employ of the company.

FIREMEN'S CONVENTION

With More Than 600 Delegates Attending Session Opens.

Charlottesville, Va., Aug. 27.—With more than 600 delegates in attendance from a majority of the fire engine companies in the state the annual convention of the Virginia State Firemen's Association convened this morning shortly after 9 o'clock in the Jefferson Theater, Charlottesville.

The convention is presided over by President Tyson, Hopewell. The visiting firemen were welcomed by Mayor Haden and Dr. H. W. Battle on behalf of the city, and H. K. Hawthorn on behalf of the Charlottesville firemen. The response was made by L. E. Lookabill, a veteran fireman from Roanoke, and chairman of the legislative committee.

This afternoon the firemen are on a sightseeing trip to Monticello, the University and other places of interest.

Tonight a band concert will be given in the courthouse yard. Tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clck the big parade will take place.

DECLINES TO SEE LEADERS

New York, Aug. 27.—Judge E. H. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, yesterday declined to receive a labor committee which asked for a conference at his offices.

Although Gary refused to grant a personal interview, he said any request submitted in writing would receive the attention of the corporation's officers and they would decide what answer should be made, if any.

DEAD OF PTOMAINE POISON.

Alliance, O., Aug. 27.—Ptomaine poisoning, it was believed, resulted in the death here yesterday of Col. C. C. Weybracht, world war veteran, his wife, two family friends and a waiter. It was believed that olives served at a private dinner party last Friday were the cause. The chef who prepared the dinner was also stricken and is believed dying.

FISH FOR SALE—Jersey trout and halibut for sale tomorrow and balance of week. Cook and Price City Market. 204-1c.

COMMISSION IS CREATED

House of Delegates Passes State Highway Measure by 74 to 7

MAIN FIGHT OF DAY

Maximum Salary of the Head of the Department Fixed at Five Thousand Dollars a Year.

Passage by the House of the measure creating the State Highway Commission, and defining its duties and powers, marked yesterday a distinct stride forward toward the completion, on the part of this body, of legislation necessary to put in motion machinery for an ambitious road-building program in Virginia.

The bill received the approval of the House by a vote of 74 to 7.

Perhaps the most striking amendment adopted to the bill was the one offered by Delegate Channing W. Hall, making it imperative that the commission, before giving its approval to any apportionment of funds by the highway commissioner, serve notice that citizens who so desire may be heard upon the question.

This practically disposes of the insistent demand of many members of the Legislature that there be vested in the commission the power to hear taxpayers and freeholders on appeal from the action of the commissioner. Under the original provision, the commission apportioned the funds, subject only to the approval of the commission. A hearing for those affected by the appprtionment was not provided for.

An amendment, offered by Delegate Gordon and adopted by the House, cuts down the maximum salary which the commission may provide for the highway commissioner from $7,500 to $5,000, with a minimum of $3,500. The minimum, under the old clause, was $5,000.

As the measure passed the House, it provides, in short, this:

1. That the Governor appoint for a term of six years a State highway commissioner, a civil engineer by profession. This appointment is subjected to approval by the Senate, and not by the General Assembly, as the present law provides.

2. That the chief executive also name a commission of five men, drawn as nearly as possible from the five geographical subdivisions of the State, and whose appointment shall be approved by the Senate.

3. In the matter of selecting routes for State highways between any given points in the State system, the commissioner is given original authority to act, provided, however, that if there is a contest, the matter shall be laid before the commission as an appeal.

4. The commissioner also will apportion funds to be expended on the highways, subject to the approval of the commission, which, under the bill, must give public hearings before final power to select the type of construction to be used on any highway in the State, the position taken by the House being that this is a technical matter and could not be subject to the decision of any body of citizens not technically trained.

NO WINE FOR SAILORS

Visit of Italian Battleship Spoiled by Prohibition.

Boston, Aug. 27.—Admiral Hugo Conz, in expressing appreciation of the welcome extended the Italian battleship Conte di Cayour and its crew, told Acting Mayor Ford that he had only one cause for concern in connection with his visit to the United States—prohibition. The daily ration of the dreadnought's crew included a small quantity of light wine, he said, and with the probability of a cruise along the Atlantic coast he faced the prospect of exhausting the ship's wine stores.

NOTICE

F. J. Wease has opened a meat market in the east end of the market house. Call and see him before buying your meats. 202-3p. e. o. d.

PROPERT SALES

Deeds of Conveyances For Five Houses Recorded

Arthur M. King has sold to Joseph Schwarzmann a house and lot on the west side of Washington between Pendleton and Wythe strets; Geo. E. Warfield, executor, has sold to Clifford C. Jones a house and lot on the west side of Henry between Wilkes and Gibbon streets; Charles M. Schofield has sold to the American Agricultural and Chemical Co., house and lot 317 North Columbus street; Frank O. Purvis and wife have sold to J. E. Whitlock a house and lot on the west side of King between Peyton and Henry streets; Mrs. Lillian V. Carlin has sold to J. Harvey Robinson house and lot 321 Queen street.

NATION-WIDE STRIKE SEEMS IMMINENT

Railway Shopmen of Chicago District Will Meet Tomorrow

ARRIVAL OF GOMPERS

Government Officials Awaiting Effect on Rank and File of President's Plea.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Government officials and labor leaders here today are awaiting indications of the effect on the rank and file of American labor of President Wilsons plea for a truce in industrial disputes.

With President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, returning to Washington to attend a meeting of the federation's executive council tomorrow, it was predicted that the situation will come to a head before the end of week.

Moves which were eagerly watched here were:

1—The vote of 500,000 railroad shopmen on President Wilsons proposal that they accept an increase of four cents an hour and abandon their original demand of a boost of approximately 25 per cent, so as not to interfere with the Governments efforts to bring down prices.

2.—What rourse railway and train men, conductors, and other rails unions will take, now that it has been indicated that their demands will meet the same answer as that given the shopmen.

3—Whether steel workers, who are attempting to unionize that industry, will push their efforts now or await normal conditions as the President has asked.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Railway shopmen of the Chicago district will meet Sunday to discuss President Wilsons offer of a four cent wage increase.

The meeting was announced today by John D. Saunders, secretary of the Chicago district shopmens iouncil, who said, the men could not afford to accept the offer. He predicted a nation wide strike next month.

ELKS' EXCURSION

Affair Liberally Patronized—100 Children Guests of Order.

The morning and afternoon boats to Marshall Hall carried big crowds on the annual excursion of Alexandria Lodge No.. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

One hundred children today are the guests of the Elks at the resort and games and various other amusements have been provided. They are chaperoned by the Salvation Army.

It is expected that the evening boat will carry an unusually big crowd The last boat will leave at 7 o'clock.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Building Co. 1 will be held at the office of the Company, 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, September 15th, 1919, at 11:30 a. m., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

M. M. Parker, President.
202-1c. Louis Beyer, Jr., Secty.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY REOPENS SEPT. 8

Marks Beginning of Fifty-First Annual Session.

READY TO ENROLL

Sisters Have Just Returned From Summer School at Catholic University and Notre Daune.

St. Mary's Academy will enter upon its fifty-first year of educational activities Monday, September 8, at 9 a. m., when all the pupils resident as well as day scholars, will be expected to begin work in the various classes. The attendance for the coming year promises to be larger than ever and the Sisters will not be able to consider applications made after next week. They urge all intending to enroll in any of the departments to do so at once.

The Academy is affiliated to the Catholic University of America, and accredited by the Virginia Board of Education. The method of study, text books ,examinations, etc., are regulated by these well-known institutions of higher learning. This in itself is a guarantee of the work done at St. Mary's. While the teaching corps is practically the same as last year, there will be special teachers in the languages and sciences. The classes in harp, violin, piano, voice culture, elocution and phyiscal cuture will continue under the direction of the same competent teachers who have achieved so much in the past few years.

The Sisters having completed their summer school courses at the Catholic University in Washington and at the University of Notre Dame, Indiana, are now at home and will be pleased to meet the patrons of the Academy and all others interested in school work or in finding a thorough up to date home school for their children.

BOLT SPLITS HER WOOD

Kindly Lightning Provides Woman With Needed Kindling.

Tionesta, Pa., Aug. 27.—Badly needing kindling wood with which to replenish the fuel in the kitchen stove, Mrs. George Burhenn, of Carmen Hill, hurried from her house yesterday afternoon to get it before a heavy storm should wet the woodpile. As she began splitting the heavy cordwood a sharp bolt of lightning struck a nearby tree and rendered her unconscious.

Reviving a few minutes later Mrs. Burhenn was astounded to find that she had ben literally buried under a shower of small pieces of wood which had come from the shattered [illegible] Although bruised and roughly [illegible] Mrs. Burhenn, seeing that [illegible]ce had provided her with [illegible]diate wants, gathered up [illegible]f the nature made kind[illegible]d carried it into the ho[illegible]

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PLAYGROUNDS TO CLOSE

Friday Will Mark End of Season —Crowd Expected to Attend.

The Lee school playgrounds, which has been conducted during the summer months, will close Friday afternoon. On Friday the sewing which the children have done will be exhibited. There will also be games and folk dances demonstrating the good times the children have had during the summer months. All are welcome to attend. The grounds will be open at 4 p. m.

NOTICE

Dr. W. J. B. Duncan, who has been confined to his home on North Patrick street, has recovered and is able to be back in his drug store, corner of Patrick and Queen streets, where he will be pleased to see his old and new customers. 204-1p.

KILLED IN GRAIN CHUTE

Fredericksburg (Va.) Child Loses Life While At Play.

Fredericksburg, Va., Aug. 27.—Ashby Floyd, 11 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Floyd, of Somerset Orange county, met a tragic death a few evenings ago. The child was playing with several companions at the warehouse of Golsan & Buckner, in the top of which was stored a large quantity of wheat, which was being loaded through a chute into a freight car. The children were amusing themselves by getting into the wheat and sliding down through the chute. They did this several times in safety.

Unaware that the children were in the wheat, the men engaged in loading the grain closed the mouth of the chute and the boy was caught and suffocated by the wheat which poured in and covered him up completely. The other children gave the alarm, the mouth of the chute was opened and the body slid out with the wheat.

FIRE SWEEPS TOWN

One-Third of Whitehall, Near Charlottesville, Wiped Out.

Charlottesville, Va., Aug. 27.—Fire starting at noon yesterday wiped out on-third of the village of Whitehall, 13 miles west of here A. W. Wyant's store, three residences, a mill and a blacksmith shop were entirely consumed. Fanned by a high wind, the flames spread rapidly and would have destroyed the entire village had not a brick wall of a vacant store checked the fire Wyant's loss, including storeroom and stock, was $12,000, partially covered by insurance.

DEADLY BURST OF SPEED

Atlantic City, Aug. 27.—Cantone Adolpho, of New York was instantly killed and Charles Ansossie, of Philadelphia, was fatally injured tonigh when a motorcycle driven by Ansossie, with Adolpho in the side car crashed into a touring car driven b Dr. Louis R. Siegal, of Hartfor Conn., with Louis Schlossberg, of Hartford, the owner, and his wife a passengers, on the Meadow Boulevard, three miles from this city.

The motorcycle, according to statments obtained by the police, was going at terirfic speed, racing a secon 'cycle. In endeavoring to pa around two automobiles Ansos veered over to the left side of th road directly in the path of the touring car. Before Dr. Siegal cou swing over the side car hit the aut mobile and was crushed like an egg shell. Adolpho ducked when he saw the crash was imminent, but caugh the full blow on the top of his head He was hurled back, his feet caugh in the wreckage and both legs wer cut off at the knee. Ansossie wa also flung backwards, injuring h spine.

Adolpho was dead when extricate and Ansossie was hurried to the Cit Hospital in a dying condition. Th occupants of the automobile wer brought to police headquarters bu were later released under bail.

ACUTE LABOR CONDITIONS

New York, Aug. 27.—The alarming industrial situation in the United States caused Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who arrived here yesterday, to curtail his European trip and return to this country at once.

"I'll frankly admit," he said this afternoon, "that I received dispatches from Washington which, in my judgment, required that I return immediately.

"I did not come home to interfere with the progress of labor; I came home to help. If the employers have not learned that the time is past when they are lords and masters of all they survey, this may be a good time to teach them a lesson. Surely the men and women workers have a right to a voice as to the terms under which they will go to work."

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear father, Sidney Daniel Lane who departed this life August 27 1917.

A precious one from us has gone
A voice we love is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
God in his wisdom has recalled
The boon his love has given,
And though the body slumbers here
The soul is safe in Heaven.
204-1p. By his loving wife children.

HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs. W. Clifton Cunningham and family have returned from a motor trip to the valley of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bendheim and son have returned from Ocean View, Va.

Mr. George Hayden, now located in Norfolk, Va., is spending a few days in this city.

Rev. Dr. W. F. Watson will speak tonight at the prayer meeting at the First Baptist Church.

Judge and Mrs. Louis C. Barley have returned from Clifton Springs, Sanitarium, Clifton Springs, N. Y.

Mrs. Sarah E. Fox, seventy-six years old, died Monday at her residence, 514 North Washington street She was the mother of J. T. Fox. The body was shipped yesterday to Sulpeper, Va., for burial.

The summer school which has been in session since the early part of the summer at Lee School will end its sessions next Wednesday. The school has been a big success. A total of 175 pupils attended.

Alan B. Prosise, who was appointed clerk of the court for Alexandria county yesterday afternoon by Judge S. C. Brent, to fill the unexpired term of the late George H. Rucker is today the recipient of numerous congratulations.

A small frame dwelling house occupied by a colored woman named Jackson on the west side of Washington between Franklin and Jefferson streets, was partially destroyed by fire shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon. An oil stove is thought to have been responsible for the blaze.

Now that we are able to get some good fish, the Sanitary Fish Market will have on sale tomorrow and balance of week, Norfolk spots, large and medium Jersey trout, white perch large Jersey butterfish, and crab meat. Stall No. 2, City market, Phone 735. J. H. Robinson, Proprietor. Open till 5 p. m. 204-1p.

A roller skating rink will open Saturday at Armory Hall at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon as will be seen by an announcement elsewhere in the Gazette. The management has greatly beautified the hall and secured 200 pair of new skates for the patrons. Music will be furnished by an eighteen piece military band organ.

The building at 311 King street, occupied by the Western Union Telegraph Company, is being remodeled and during the progress of the work this company has temporary offices at 218 King street. The work it is expected will be completed in sixty days. The upper floor will be converted into an apartment.

Alphonzo Webster, colored, arrested Saturday on the charge of breaking into a house in the night time, was brought before the Police Court last night and virtually sentenced to go to work as a laborer at the ship yard, where he is wanted. There was no evidence upon which the accused could be held save that alleging laziness. He was turned over to one of the shipyard foremen this morning.

$50 A GALLON TAX ON WHISKY

A $50 tax on a gallon of whisky and a like tax on a barrel of beer is the latest proposed attack of the Anti-Saloon League on old "Demon Rum."

MASONIC NOTICE

There will be a call communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120, A. F. and A. M., at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, August 27th, at 7:30 o'clock to confer the M. M. Degree. All Master Masons are invited. By order of the Worshipful Master.
203-2c. J. E. Alexander, Secty.

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TWO SCORE YEARS AGO

Some of our contemporaries make features of clippings from their files of many years ago. The reproduced items often bring to the minds of the older readers interesting reminiscenses of the long ago.

In looking over the mortuary list of Alexandria in the year 1879 (forty years ago) we found the names of numbers of our former acquaintances, and fell into a reverie as the reproductive sense of memory began to work. These names brought back many incidents in the lives of the deceased ones, some amusing, others of a sad nature.

Among those who passed into the unseen world in 1879 were the following:

Thomas W. White, who in ante bellum days was the clerk of gas. After the close of the war he was clerk of council until 1870.

Thomas Dwyer, a civil engineer by profession, who was clerk of gas during the civil war. In 1872 he was one of a party of civil engineers of Alexandria who went to Costa Rica when a railway was built from the Atlantic to the Pacific. F. F. Marbury, President of the Board of Aldermen, was one of the party.

Enoch Magruder Lowe, the first Judge of the Corporation Court, under the Underwood Constitution. His portrait hangs over the judge's desk in the court room.

William Uriah Herbert.. He conducted the shotmaking business in Alexandria for many years. Mr. Herbert was an active member of the Methodist Protestant Church and was a lay preacher. In the latter part of his life he was made a member of the conference and assigned to a charge in Pennsylvania. He subsequently resigned from the ministry.

Captain James Guy. In the latte part of the forties he was captain of the old steamer Joe Johnson, which was consigned to the scrap pile in 1851. Captain Guy was one of the most interesting story-tellers in the State of Virginia, and was universally known. He never retold a story, invariably having something original with which to regale his auditors.

John T. Armstrong. He was a copper by trade, but his mind ran on politics. During our war he was known as a mild union man. He was loquacious and good natured. Mr. Armstrong many years ago was a member of the Board of Aldermen from the Second ward, having been appointed while the state was under military control.

James Fossett. In his latter years he was tiler of Alexandria Washington Lodge of Masons. In prewar days he was one of the assessors of this city and subsequently one of the collectors of taxes, there being two at that time.

Captain Ellis Price, father of Auditor Price, and a descendant of one of the publishers of the Alexandria Gazette a century or more ago. During the early fifties he was master of a steamer which made trips between Alexandria and Baltimore. In the latter part of the fifties he was captain of the ferry steamer George Page, which at that time was on the route between this city and Washington. The Page played a prominent part in operations on the Potomac during the early part of the civil war, when Confederate batteries made it hazardous for vessels to pass up or down the river. The steamer left here in May, 1861, for Quantico, where she was converted into a gunboat. She remained there until the Confedrates destroyed her when they abandoned their batteries. The ribs of the George Page now rest near Quantico.

A TRUE STATEMENT

Governor Lowden, of Illinois recently said, according to the Manufacturers' Record:

"For years we looked upon the Socialist party as visionary, not destructive The party now has thrown off all disguise. It sought in every way to obstruct this Government in the prosecution of the war. Their propaganda must be met with propaganda of our own. If the ownership of property is to become a crime, if education shall be banished and religion dethroned, if the home shall be broken up, then the future of the worker will be dark. I know it is becoming unpopular to speak of property, but there never was a civilization that did not have its beginning in the recognition of man's right to the product of his own labor, whether of the hand or brain. Without the incentive of private property civilization would languish and die."

THE UNGRATEFUL FARMER

There is disappintment among the stern and unbending prohibitionists in Virginia because so many prohibition candidates were defeated in the recent primary elections. This might have been expected in the cities. But to have the country districts repudiate the friends of the farmer is indeed surprising. The ban upon strong drink has left the farmer's favorite tipples undisturbed. Cider and home made wines may ferment in peace with none to say them nay.

Why, then, should the Virginia farmers vote against "dry" candidates? The explanation that they are moved by the woes of the city workingman deprived of his beer is not altogether convincing. For years the strength of the prohibition movement has lain in the rural districts. It is odd enough that there should be a change of sentiment now, when the wicked centres of population are to be forced to emulate such examples of virtue.

It is stated that the methods of enforcing the State law in Virginia have alienated many who support prohibition in principle. That is not unlikely. But the conversion of the farmer is none the less a strange development.—(Philadelphia Inquirer.

A RETURN OF THE "FLU"?

The chief of the New York Health Department is quoted as predicting a return, in October, of the influenza epidemic which last year swept the country. He believes that it will not be so widespread as it was before the reason being that the great number of those who had the "flu" last year will be less susceptible to it now.

There are other reasons why the prospect of a recurrence of the epidemic need not cause undue alarm. War food, war-strained nerves, run-down constitutions—these are things of the past. We no longer have hundreds of thousands of men in cantonments and training stations, concentrated so as to offer a clear field to the disease. Science may know no remedy for the disease itself, but the anti-pneumonia serum administered by health departments appears to have been beneficial in limiting its after-effects. There will be many more doctors, come home from France, to combat any sign of an epidemic.

This does not mean that there is nothing to be feared from the "flu." It means simply that with reasonable precautions (which consist mainly of living sanely and keeping the standard of resistance to disease as high as possible) it is improbable that there will be any such epidemic as there was last year.—(Baltimore News.

PREACHERS' UNION URGED

Sense of Duty Keeps Ministers From Striking and Letting People Go To Hell, He Says.

New York, Aug. 27.—"Only a lingering sense of duty, altruism and service prevents the preachers of America from forming a union, calling a strike and letting the country go to hell," said Rev. John Roach Straton in a sermon Sunday in Calvary Baptist Church. "Everybody in the world almost has gone on strike except the undertakers and preachers," he added, "and I suppose we will be next in line. Certainly the preachers have grievance enough on the score of under pay, and if we are to move in line with the spirit now prevailing in the world we will have get together soon in a joint convention.

"The logical steps then would be to organize, perhaps, under the name, 'Amalgamated Association of Preacher Promoters.' Then would come a series of resolutions, setting forth that here and now we declare to our churches and to the general public that unless we are given immediately an eight-hour day and a 50 per cent boost in salary we will go on strike and let them all go to hell."

NO BED TO LEAVE

Sunbury, Pa., Aug. 27.—Mrs. William C. Craver of Montandon, had a dispute with her husband last week and they agreed to disagree Craver then caused an advertisement to be published, in which over his signature he declared that she had left his "bed and board" and that he would not pay any bills contracted by his wife.

Disagreeing with his statement that he had furnished her a bed she caused the following advertisement to be printed:

"Notice that was printed in the paper of Mrs. Craver leaving W. C. Craver's bed and board is incorrect. He never had any bed of his own, but slept in the one I furnished. And no person will ever suffer of dyspesia due to the board he furnished me."

CAUTIOUS ABOUT DE VALERA

Governor Davis Introduces Him as "Distinguished Visitor."

Richmond, Va., Aug. 27.—Eamonn De Valera, who spoke here last night, will be introduced by Governor Davis as "a distinguished visitor in Virginia," and not as "president of the Irish republic," it was announced yesterday. Mr. De Valera arrived here yeseday and was given an ovation at the station. Later he was the guest at a luncheon which was attended by Governor Davis, Mayor Ainslie and other officials.

Yesterday afternon Mr. De Valera addressed the Virginia House of Delgates, which recessed 30 minutes to hear him. He was escorted to the speakers' stand by a committee.

Try a Gazette classified ad.

To Our Patrons

Alexandria, Va., June 2, 1919.

In line with our progressive banking methods, and to meet the demands of our patrons, we are installing on July 1st, an up-to-date Safe Deposit Department, under the personal supervision of one of our officers.

This has been made necessary from the fact that a large number of our depositors owning Liberty Bonds and other securities desire a safe place for their keeping.

It is our plan to enlarge the number of Safe Deposit Boxes, and make a rental charge to meet the operating expenses of this Department. This charge will become effective July 1st, 1919, and a bill will be sent out at that time to the holders of boxes; and if any desire to make any change we will be glad to have them call before the bills are rendered for the ensuing year.

By order of the Board of Directors

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TWO DIE IN AUTO WRECK

Greensboro Farmer is Held in County Jail on Charge of Murder Following Accident.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 27.—Mrs. Mamie C. Loyall, aged forty-four, and Mrs. Dave Shelly, aged seventy, are dead; Shube Anthony, an elderly farmer of this county, is a prisoner in the Guilford County jail charged with murder and with driving an automobile while intoxicated, while Mrs. Loyall's husband, Jesse Loyall, and Anthony's thirteen-year-old son are painfully injured.

The accident happened on the High Point-Greensboro Boulevard late Sunday when the car in which the party was riding, and which Anthony was driving, turned turtle.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Husband Corners in Attic Woman Who Left Him.

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—Cornering his 22-year-old wife, from whom he had become estranged, in the attic of the home of her father, at 258 South Fifth street, Bennett Thompson, 24 years old, of 533 Spruce street, yesterday afternoon sent a bullet crashing into her brain, and a moment later shot himself in the head. Both died a short time later in the Pennsylvania Hospital.

MOTHER'S BRUTAL CRIME

Strangled 12-Year-Old Son to Death, Then Tries Suicide.

Coatesville, Pa., Aug. 27.—Strangling her 12-year-old son to death with a piece of lining from a coat sleeve, and then attempting to take her own life by drowning, Mrs. Harry Marouchi, of East Fallowfield township, was arrested Monday by Captain Worthington, of the Midvale police force. Leon, the dead boy, was found by her husband. The body was hidden in a closet in the Marouchi home.

Mrs. Marouchi was wading into Brandywine Creek, attempting to reach a deep place, when Captain Worthington and his officers intercepted her. She was taken to City Hall. The Coroner conducted an investigation, and a jury rendered a verdict that the child had been murdered.

Early yesterday the father had sent word to the Midvale police that the boy was lost. The officers began a search, and the strange actions of the mother aroused suspicion, and when she went to the creek she was followed.

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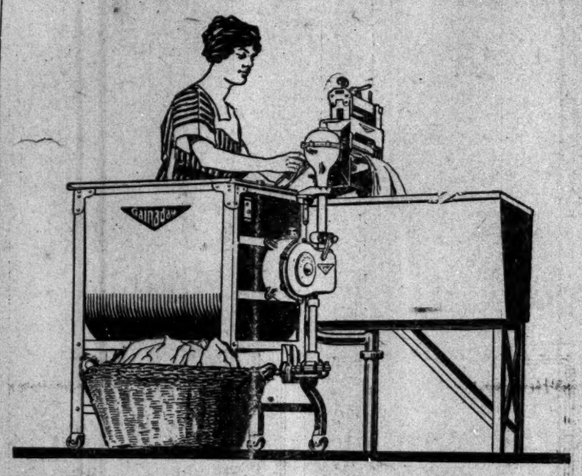

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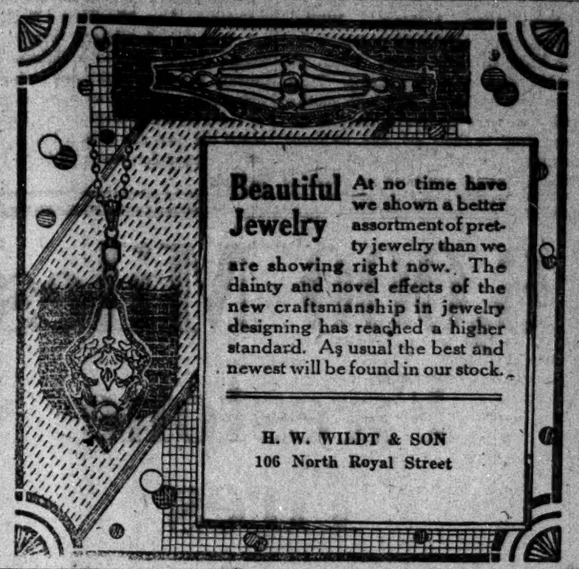

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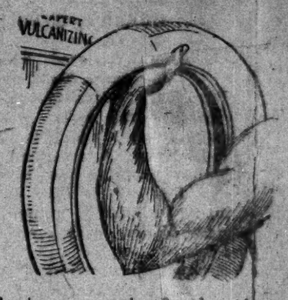

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1918, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 3, 1908.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 32 of article 2 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate, the house of delegates concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section thirty-two, which is in the following words:

Sec. 32. Every person qualified to vote shall be eligible to any office of the State, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the State, wherein he resides, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and except that this provision as to residence shall not apply to any office elective by the people where the law provides otherwise. Men and women eighteen years of age shall be eligible to the office of notary public, and qualified to execute the bonds required of them in that capacity.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 32. Every person qualified to vote shall be eligible to any office of the State, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the State, wherein he resides, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and except that this provision as to residence shall not apply to any office elective by the people where the law provides otherwise; and except, further, that the requirements of this section as to residence and voting qualifications shall not apply in the appointment of persons to fill positions under a municipal government requiring special technical or professional training and experience. Men and women eighteen years of age shall be eligible to the office of notary public and qualified to execute the bonds required of them in that capacity.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 133 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the senate, the house of delegates concurring, (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-eight, which is in the following words:

Section 138. The general assembly may, in its discretion provide for the compulsory education of children between the ages of eight and twelve years, except such as are weak in body or mind, or can read and write, or are attending private schools, or are excused for cause by the district school trustees.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 138. The general assembly may, in its discretion, provide for the compulsory education of children of school age.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 117 of article 8 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate and the house of delegates (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity to the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and seventeen, which is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

Section 117. General laws for the organization and government of cities and towns shall be enacted by the general assembly, and no special act shall be passed in relation thereto, except in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution, and then only by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house; and except also in the case of cities having more than fifty thousand inhabitants, as hereinafter provided. But each of the cities and towns of the State having at the time of the adoption of this amendment a municipal charter may retain the same, except so far as it shall be repealed or amended by the general assembly; provided, that every such charter is hereby amended so as to conform to all the provisions, restrictions, limitations and powers set forth in this article, or otherwise provided in this Constitution.

Notwithstanding, however, anything in this article contained the general assembly may, by general law or by special act (passed as prescribed in article four of this Constitution), depart in any respect (except as otherwise in this section expressly provided) from the form of organization and government prescribed by this article for cities and towns, and may provide, from time to time, for the various cities and towns of the Commonwealth such form or forms of municipal government as the general assembly may deem best; but no form or forms of government authorized by the second paragraph of this section shall become operative except as to such cities or towns as may thereafter adopt the same by a majority vote of its qualified electors at an election to be held as may be prescribed therefor by law. All the limitations on the powers of the councils of cities and towns imposed by this article shall apply in like manner to the principal legislative authority under any form of government which may be authorized hereunder. The term "council" as used in sections one hundred and twenty-five and one hundred and twenty-seven of this Constitution shall be construed to include the body which, under any form of municipal government, shall be vested with the principal legislative authority of such municipality.

The general assembly, for the purpose of this article, may classify cities according to their population but the maximum population prescribed for any class shall exceed the minimum population for the same class by at least ten thousand. The general assembly, at the request, made in manner which may be prescribed by law, of any city having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, may grant a special form of government for such city. Any laws or charters enacted pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be subject to the provisions of this Constitution relating expressly to judges and clerks of courts, attorneys for the Commonwealth, commissioners of revenue, city treasurer and city sergeants.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 117. (a) General laws for the organization and government of cities and towns shall be enacted by the general assembly, and no special act shall be passed in relation thereto, except in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution, and then only by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house. But each of the cities and towns of the State having at the time of the adoption of this Constitution a municipal charter may retain the same, except so far as it shall be repealed or amended by the general assembly; provided, that every such charter is hereby amended to conform to all the provisions, restrictions, limitations and powers set forth in this article, or otherwise provided in this Constitution.

(b) The general assembly may, by general law or by special act, (passed in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution) provide for the organization and government of cities and towns without regard to, and unaffected by any of the provisions of this article, except those of sections one hundred and twenty-four, one hundred and twenty-five, (except so far as the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-five recognize the office of mayor and the power of veto) one hundred and twenty-six one hundred and twenty-seven and one hundred and twenty-eight of this article and except those mentioned in sub-section (d) of this section. The term "Council" as used in any of said sections shall include the body exercising legislative authority for the city or town, and all ordinances enacted and resolutions adopted by such body shall have the same force and effect for all purposes, as if enacted or adopted in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-three of this article. But such organization and government shall apply only to such cities or towns as may thereafter adopt the same by a majority vote of those qualified voters of any such city or town voting in an election to be held for the purpose, as may be provided by law.

(c) The general assembly, at the request of any city or town made in manner provided by law, may grant to it any special form of organization and government authorized by sub-section (b) of this section, and subject to all of the provisions of that sub-section, except that it shall not be necessary for such city or town to thereafter adopt the same.

(d) Any laws or charters enacted pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be subject to the provisions of this Constitution relating expressly to judges and clerks of courts, attorneys for the Commonwealth, commissioners of revenue, city treasurers and city sergeants.

(e) Any form of organization and government authorized by any provision of this section which may have been adopted heretofore by any city or town pursuant to any act of the general assembly enacted before such provision became effective, and which is now in operation, is hereby declared legal and valid ab initio, and shall be the same force and effect as if it had been authorized by this Constitution at the time of its adoption.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 133 of article 9 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (the majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to section one hundred and thirty-three, article nine, of the Constitution of Virginia, be and is hereby proposed and referred to the general assembly at the first regular session held after the next general election of members of the house of delegates for its concurrence in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-three of article nine, which is in the following words:

Section 133. Each magisterial district shall constitute a separate school district, unless otherwise provided by law. In each school district there shall be three trustees selected, in the manner and for the term of office prescribed by law.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 133. Each magisterial district shall constitute a separate school district, unless otherwise provided by law. In each school district there shall be not more than three trustees selected, in the manner and for the term of office prescribed by law.

Men and women may serve as school trustees in said districts, and in cities and in towns forming separate school districts.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 134 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing) That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and eighty-four, which is in the following words:

Section 184. No debt shall be contracted by the State except to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion, or defend the State in time of war. No scrip, certificate, or other evidence of State indebtedness, shall be issued, except for the transfer or redemption of stock previously issued, or for such debts as are expressly authorized in this Constitution.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 184. No debt shall be contracted by the State except to construct, or reconstruct, public roads, to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion, or defend the State in time of war. No scrip, certificate, or other evidence of State indebtedness, shall be issued except for the transfer or redemption of stock previously issued, or for such debts as are expressly authorized in this Constitution.

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 136 of article 9 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next session of the general assembly.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-six, which is in the following words:

Section 136. Each county, city, town, if the same be a separate school district, and school district is authorized to raise additional sums by a tax on property, not to exceed in the aggregate five mills on the dollar in any one year, to be apportioned and expended by the local school authorities of said counties, cities, towns and districts in establishing and maintaining such schools as in their judgment the public welfare may require; provided, that such primary schools as may be established in any school year, shall be maintained at least four months of that school year, before any part of the fund assessed and collected may be devoted to the establishment of schools of higher grade. The boards of supervisors of the several counties, and the councils of the several cities, and towns if the same be separate school districts, shall provide for the levy and collection of such local school taxes.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 136. Each county, city, town, if the same be a separate school district, and school district is authorized to raise additional sums by a tax on property, not to exceed in the aggregate in any one year a rate of levy to be fixed by law, to be apportioned and expended by the local school authorities of said counties, cities, towns and districts in establishing and maintaining such schools as in their judgment the public welfare may require; provided that such primary schools as may be established in any school year, shall be maintained at least four months of that school year, before any part of the fund assessed and collected may be devoted to the establishment of schools of higher grade. The boards of supervisors of the several counties, and the councils of the several cities, and towns if the same be separate school districts, shall provide for the levy and collection of such local school taxes.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1918, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,

Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

CZAR SLAIN AS HE HOLDS SON

Royal Family of Russia Shot Down With Revolvers in Cellar at Prison House.

London, Aug. 27.—Alleged authentic details of the killing of Emperor Nicholas of Russia and the other members of the Russian royal family at Yekaterinburg, on July 17, 1918, are contained in a report drafted by an unnamed French officer who had been employed in an official capacity in southern Russia, was made public today by Reuter's Limited. The story purports to have been told by a sentry who guarded the royal family while its members were under detention.

Under the orders of Commissary Kourovsky, the account runs, the Emperor, the Empress, Crown Prince Alexis and the Grand Duchesses Olga Anastasia, Tatiana and Xenia, together with Court Physician Botkine and three servants, were taken to an underground room. No interrogatory occurred. The Emperor carried his son in his arms, because of the boy's inability to walk in consequence of illness. Jourovsky, another Bolshevik leader, and nine Lettish soldiers, the account continues, entered the room and immediately killed all the occupants with revolver shots.

The sentry, on hearing the reports dashed into the room, he says, and saw 11 bodies lying on the floor. Only the Emperor's son was still alive. Seeing this, the narrator added, one of the Bolshevik party killed the Crown Prince with a point-blank shot.

WILL FIGHT ROAD TAX.

Virginia Business Men Think Burden Should Not Be General.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 27.—From every section of Virginia anxious business men are hastening to Richmond to appear before the Senate finance committee in opposition to placing the new road taxes generally on all subjects of taxation, rather than on property alone.

The total to be raised under the report of the subcommittee includes $600,000 per year for country roads not in the highway system. The report was criticized by some of the highway enthusiasts, who assert that it falls short of meeting the Federal aid for a period of two years by nearly $900,000.

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HOLD UP NEGRESS

Brazen Crimes Reach Climax in Daylight Robbery Near Police Station.

Suffolk, Va., Aug. 27.—When Lauder Skeeter, a colored woman, was held up and robbed of $628 Monday morning on Clay Street, in Suffolk, within one block of the police station, the fire department and the municipal building at 10:40 o'clock, the climax of the bold robberies that have terrorized the people of this city seemed to have been reached.

Lauder Skeeter had just cashed a government check for back allotments amount to $628 at the Farmers' Bank of Nansemond, and had taken the currency, against the advice of bank officials, when she was held up by two negro men near the Armory Hall and her roll was taken. Robberies of homes at night, and the brutal braining of a Suffolk merchant in his store by a negro highwayman, are some of the terrors that Suffolk has undergone for the past two weeks.

FATAL QUARREL OVER LAND.

L. J. Oswald Reported Killed in Kingsport, Tenn.

Bristol, Va., Aug. 27.—L. J. Oswald, real estate dealer, Kingsport, Tenn., was shot and killed yesterday in Kingsport, according to information reaching here last night.

Oswld is said to have quarreled with V. B. Stallard, a former restaurant owner, over a real estate deal.

He was shot through the shoulder and the abdomen.

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THREE PERSONS DROWN

Mother, Son and Rescuer Swept Away By Undertow.

Crisfield, Md., Aug. 27.—While bathing at Point Lookout, just opposite Crisfield, on the Chesapeake Bay, three persons were drowned. The victims were: John B. Keys, of Indiantown; Mrs. John Reeves, of Chaptico, and her 14-year-old son, William Reeves.

The Reeves and Keys families had gone for an outing together, and the children were bathing. William Reeves was caught in an undertow and was being carried away, when his mother went to his assistance. When it became apparent that both mother and son were in grave danger, Mr. Keys went to their aid, and, although considered an excellent swimmer, it is believed that he suffered an attack of heart failure, as all three were swept away.

The body of Mr. Keys was found a few hours later. The body of Mrs. Reeves was found floating about five miles from the scene by Captain Gus Furbush.

A reward of $50 was paid to Capt. Furbush.

KILLS WIFE AND COMPANION

Returned Soldier Opens Fire on Couple As He Enters Chinese Restaurant.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Harry E. Stewart, a returned soldier, wearing a wound stripe, entered a Chinese restaurant Saturday night, and seeing his wife there with another man, he opened fire and killed them both. He then ended his own life with a bullet. His wife's companion was said to be C. E. Schools.

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50 Smart New Fall Models Are on Sale Thursday and Friday

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The sale assortment includes beautiful rich Lyons and Panne Velvet hats in sailors, mushrooms, turbans and roll brim effects. Colors are black, brown, navy, jade and old blue.

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The Leader

904 King Street Phone 304

CASH or CREDIT

GIRL ENDS LIFE.

Slashes Throat With Butcher Knife When Wedding Was Postponed.

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—Catherina Quatle, 24 years old, of 1811 Passyunk avenue, committed suicide yesterday by slashing her throat with a bread-knife. She was despondent because of the repeated postponement of her wedding.

The girl has been in ill-health, according to the family physician, for the past two months, due to worry over her fiance's attitude toward a wedding. According to her parents, the man the girl was to wed would fix the wedding for a certain date, then change his mind. They said he had changed the date at least five times since the announcement of their engagement.

Miss Quatle retired early Monday evening, complaining that she was not well. About two o'clock yesterday morning one of her brothers came home and went to the kitchen. Lighting the gas, he saw his sister huddled in a corner, with the bloody knife nearby.

He ran from the house and notified a policeman, who summoned an ambulance. The girl was taken to St. Agnes' Hospital, where she died an hour afterward.

SOME day, some Firestone user is going to convince you of the true economy of using Firestone Gray Sidewall Tires.

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FROM THE

U. S. Department of Labor

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U. S. Department of Labor

W. B. WILSON, Secretary

By ROGER W. BABSON,
Director General, Information and Education Service.

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Classified Columns

Work for You Night and Day

If You Want to Buy or Sell Anything Call No. 7 For Results

AN OPPORTUNITY—For a live party. free rent, gas, electricity and water for taking care of other rooms rented to men. Can make extra money serving board to roomers. Completely furnished. References required. Couple with husband employed or widow with daughter to assist, one or two small children permitted. Send name and address to Hotel Vowell, 619 South Lee St., or telephone 1012 and ask for Mr. Roberts. 204-1c.

WANTED—An experienced man for grocery and vegetable business. Alexandria Market Company, 113-117 North Royal St. 201-3p.

W A N TED—Lady stenographer, must be able to furnish reference. Address Box 4 Gazette Office. 203-2p.

WANTED—Porter at once. Apply at Belvoir Hotel. 203-2p

Wanted—Girls to work in laundry. Pleasant work. Apply 1210 Queen Street. 118-tf

WANTED—Two dishwashers, salary $9 a week. Apply at Alexandria Quick Lunch. 318 King St. 202-3c.

W A NTED—Sewing Agnew Court. 310 South Pitt Street. 204-2p.

SITUATION WANTED

A man of good address educated and experienced in all kinds of business desires employment with a large concern, Real estate or collecting preferred. Salary second consideration. Address Box C, Gazette Office. 204-3p.

FOR RENT—A good house at 403 Cameron street, seven rooms and bath. Apply to S. P. Stonnell, Route 3, Alexandria, Va. 204-3p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for rent . Hot water and electric lights. Call after 7 p. m. Apartment No. 5. 214 North Royal St. 204-1p.

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, second floor front, bath on same floor. Apply 631 South Fairfax street. 204-1c.

ROOM AND BOARD—Electric lights, showers and all modern improvements. Apply at 114 North Fayette Street. 201-4p.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, very reasonable. Call at 501 Prince Street, after 5:30 p. m. 203-2p.

FOR RENT STORE BUILDING, 822 King street. WILL SELL the fixtures of same with full line of groceries. A bargain, and must be sold by Saturday, August 30 Walter S. Smith, 822 King Street. 203-4p.

WANTED—Two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Box 1, Gazette Office. 204-3p

FOR SALE
107 S. Fayette
222 North Royal
318 South Patrick
407 Cameron
411 Cameron
413 Cameron
C. KEITH CARLIN
Mon.-Wed.-Fri. tf.

FOR SALE—Fine corner lot, corner Lee and Gibbon streets, northeast corner, 39 feet 9 inch by 90 feet to 10 feet alley, overlooks the Potomac river, offer wanted. Write or see Roland C. Booth, 215 E St., Northwest, Washington, D. C. 200-7p.

FOR SALE—White enamel baby crib , slightly used. 309 South Washington street. 204-2p.

FOUND..An abandoned car in woods near Gunston, Va. Owner call and identify car and pay costs. Apply C. M. Harrison, Lorton, Va. 204-4p.

A Gazette Classfied Ad will bring You Results.

Furniture repairing neatly done by H. E. Webb, Sr., 1014 Prince street. Send a card and he will call for work. 203-1p.

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Beautiful lots commanding a view of Washington, Alexandria, Potomac river, Maryalnd, Alexandria Ship Yard and for miles around; near where the George Washington Masonic Temple will be erected, presenting a grand panarama of the business activity of steam and electric railroads, with their hundreds of trains moving to and fro, a beautiful view, unparallelled near our Capitol City. These lots sold on easy terms. Fountain Beattie, 305 King Street, Alexandria, Va. 198-1mo.

NOTICE

Dissolution of Co-Partnership

The co-partnership heretofore existing between William C. Chauncey and Thomas Chauncey under the firm name and style of William Chauncey's Sons, has been dissolved by mutual consent, all assets of the co-partnership having been transferred to the said Thomas Chauncey and all liabilities of the said co-partnership having been assumed by him.

WM. C. CHAUNCEY
THOS. CHAUNCEY.

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On Peyton Avenue Close to Electric Cars and Mt. Vernon Boulevard

Two beautiful bungalows just completed, contain 5 rooms and bath, with small pantry, hot water heat, electric lights, city water, cement sidewalk, fine garage and chicken house, with cement floors.

Lots are 50 feet front and 115 feet deep.

This property must be seen to be appreciated. For price and terms call on or address.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE
Of Valuable Real Estate

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Va., entered in the chancery cause of Benjamin T. Fendall, complainant ,and William E. Fendall, et al defendants, depending in the said court, the undersigned, will offer for sale, at public auction in front of the market building, Royal Street, Alexandria, Va., on **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1919, at about 12 o'clock** the following property and all appurtenances.

No. 1.—Lot and house No. 309 Prince street, beginning 80 feet west of Fairfax street on the north side of said street and fronting thereon, 20 feet, and 100 feet deep between Fairfax and Royal streets. deed book No. , page 346.

No. 2. Lot and house No. 219 south Alfred street on the west side of said street and fronting thereon 25 feet inches and 100 feet deep with an alley on the south and a court in the rear, between Prince and Duke streets deed book No. 20, page 246.

No. 3. Lot and house on the north east corner of Wilkes and Fairfax streets and fronting on Fairfax street 48 feet 3 1-2 inches, and on Wilkes street 122 feet 11 inches.

Deed books B. B. page 308 and Y No. 2 page 176.

For a more particular description see the deeds referred to.

Terms of sale—One third of the purchase money cash, and the residue in three equal installments, at nine, eighteen and twenty-four months from day of sale and interest. The deferred payments to be evidenced by notes and to be secured by retention of titles or deeds of trusts at the choice of purchasers and insurance of buildings for two thirds of their value at tehir charge. Cost of conveyances at the expeuse of purchasers.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that John M. Johnson commissioner of sale has entered into and executed, with approved security the bond required of him by this decree for sale in the above case.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.
Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria. 191-22c

FOCH WILL VISIT U. S.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Marsh Foch, Commander in Chief of the unified Allied American Armies in France, will shortly visit the United States. Marshall Foch, while here, will deliver an address before the American Legion, the organization of American veterans of the world war.

AUCTION SALE
Of Desirable Rosemont House, Known As 112 Rosemont Avenue.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on November 6, 1916, and duly recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 65, page 493, given by the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, to the undersigned Trustee, to secure the payment of certain indebtedness therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of the note evidencing said indebtedness, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock Noon, on Saturday, September 13, 1919, all that lot or parcel of ground, with the improvements thereon, known as 112 Rosemont Avenue, situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, known as lot numbered eighteen and the west half of lot numbered seventeen, in the re-subdivision of original Block numbered three, Section No. 1 of Rosemont, a plat of which is duly recorded in the land records of the County of Fairfax, Virginia, in Liber E No. 7, page 409. and, also duly of record in the land records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 122, page 243; this property to be sold subject to the lien of a deed of trust given to secure the payment of the sum of forty-two hundred and fifty dollars, with interest thereon.

Terms of Sale: Cash. Conveyancing, including Revenue stamps, at the cost of the purchaser.

Gardner L. Boothe, Trustee.
203-26-t d.

ELECTON NOTICE

At a Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said city on Wednesday, July 9th, 1919. Present. Hon. Samuel G. Brent, Judge.

In the matter of the petition of [illegible] in the form of government for the city of Alexandria, Virginia, under the act of the General Assembly, approved March 20, 1916.

And this day again came the petitioners and again presented their petitions prepared and executed in due form of law, of electors of the City of Alexandria, equal in number to at least ten per cent. of those qualified to vote at the last preceding general election, at which a mayor or council was elected, and specifying in said petitions the particular form of government permitted under an act of the General Assembly approved March 20, 1916, as amended, and which form they wish to adopt, including the number of councilmen, namely five, to be elected at large and to serve without compensation, and asking that an election be held, as provided in said act; and said petition being in all respects in conformity with the provisions and requirements of said act.

It is therefore ordered that E. E. Downham, Richard E. Sweeney, and T. A. Moore, or their successors in office comprising the Electoral board of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, be, and they are hereby directed to take such steps and prepare such means as may be necessary to submit to the qualified voters of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at an election which said electoral board is hereby directed to hold on the 23rd day of September, 1919, for determination of the question of whether said proposed change in the form of government of the City of Alexandria, shall be adopted or not.

Said election shall be conducted in the manner prescribed by law for the conduct of regular election, and by the regular election officers of said city.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, for at least thirty days prior to said election and said electoral board is further directed to give all due publicity to said election, that under the law they are required to give of regular elections.

And the Clerk of this Court is directed to transmit a copy of this order to each member of the electoral board.

A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.
E. E. DOWNHAM,
Chairman of the Electoral Board
197-30t

ALLIES TAKE ODESSA

Bolsheviki Admit Loss in Wireless. Denikine's Troops Occupy City

Lndn, Aug. 27.—Occupation of Odessa, chief Russian port on the Black Sea, by Allied forces is admitted in a Bolsheviki Government wireless message from Moscow received here yesterday. The occupation was effected, the dispatch states, after 30 vessels had bombarded the city for two days.

On the Russian northwestern front, according to the Soviet statement, the Bolshevik troops are advancing in the region of Pskov, having progressed already to within three and a half miles of that city.

Shortly after the Bolshevik message was received confirmation was given in official quarters here of the occupation of Odessa. A Russian volunteer army, it was stated, had occupied the city. The Bolsheviki retired in the direction of Balta, 120 miles northwest of Odessa. The actual occupation was carried out by detachments of General Denikine's troops, with which the anti-Bolshevik population co-operated. A British war ship covered the operation.

The War Office announced yesterday evening that on the western front of General Denikine the advance is continuing with great rapidity along the entire line.

HOUSEWIVES TO FORM UNION

Montclair, N. J., Aug. 27.—Montclair housewives are beginning to rebel against the charges of day workers, particularly laundresses.

The minimum rate now demanded is $3 per day, plus carfare, and two substantial meals. It is proposed to take the matter up with women's clubs and endeavor to arrange that $2.50 a day, with carfare, shall be the highest pay. Remuneration under the new plan would include breakfast and luncheon. Another proposal is to pay $3 per day, no carfare and no meals, the luncheon to be brought by the worker and the housewife to furnish tea or coffee

This rate of pay is for work from 8 to 4:30 o'clock, with a half hour for luncheon.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Columbia Bedding Company has opened a mattress factory and is now ready to renovate box springs, mattresses, pillows and etc., at reasonable prices. Work called for and delivered the same day. Let us call and give you estimate. See us about a new mattress. We buy old feather mattress. Columbia Bedding Co., Prince and Commerce Streets. Phone 748 169-26t

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1007-1009 Duke, house and lot for both	$3,500
1012 Duke	$3,500
211 Duke	$2,500
307 North Patrick	$1,900
1017 Queen	$2,000
1018 Queen	$2,100
1017 Pendleton	$1,350
905 Duke	$3,500
328 South Washington	$5,000
506 Oronoco	$1,500
508 Oronoco	$1,500
510 Oronoco	$1,500
512 Oronoco	$1,500
212 King	$3,000
701 North Payne	$2,100
1316 Prince	$5,750
1322 Prince	$5,000
1014 Prince	$4,500

Carver & Callahan
127 North Fairfax Street
Adjoining the Chamber of Commerce. Phone 432

LINES UP 20 MEN

Sioux City, Iowa, Aug. 27.—A highwayman held up a crowd of more than 20 persons yesterday on a corner in the center of the city and compelled them to turn over their money.

He lined them up upon the side walk and with a revolver in his hand directed a young man to hold a hat while he passed along, searching the pockets of each victim.

The bandit obtained $130 and escaped in an automobile

MISTAKE IN QUOTATION

The Manufacturers Record recently made one of the bad blunders of Biblical quotations which sometimes happens when memory plays some prank upon us. The Record says it was suggestive of a story told on Senator Hoar, who in defending a client said: "We have the highest authority for saying that all that a man hath will he give for his life." The opposing client sprang to his feet and said: "Now we know who Senator Hoar thinks is the highest authority, for it was the Devil who made that statement in talking to Job."

A SPLENDID TONIC

Says Hixon Lady Who, On Doctor's Advice, Took Cardui And Is Now Well.

Hixson, Tenn., —"About 10 years ago I was," says Mrs. J. B. Gadd, of this place, "I sufferd with a pain in my left side, could not sleep at night with this pain, always in the left side

My doctor told me to use Cardui. I took one bottle, which helped me and after my baby came, I was stronger and better, but the pain was still

I at first let it go, but began to get weak and in a run-down condition, so I decided to try som more Cardui, which I did.

This last Cardui which I took made me much better, in fact, cured me. I have no return of this trouble.

I feel it was Cardui that cured me, and I recommended it as a splendid female tonic."

Don't allow yourself to become weak and run-down from womanly troubles. Take Cardui. It should surely help you, as it has many thousands of other women in the past 40 years. Headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, sleeplessness, tired-out feeling, are all signs of womanly trouble. Other women get relief by taking Cardui. Why not you? All druggists.

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922-26 Duke St., each	$2,000.00	314 S. Fairfax	5,000.00
127-129 S. Fairfax, each	2,000.00	425-31 S. Columbus	2,000.00
603 N. Columbus	4,000.00	304 S. Lee	4,000.00
218-20 N. Pitt	1,700.00	319 N. St. Asaph	1,200.00
214-16 N. Pitt	3,650.00	202 S. Pitt	3,500.00
1014 Prince	4,500.00	1005 Duke	3,250 00
1017 Queen street	2,000.00	1003 Duke	3,500.00
232 N. Alfred	2,500.00	Payne, Wythe, Fayette, Pendleton, lot	1,500.00
427 S. Washington	3,500.00	513-15 Queen, for both	2,500.00
1211 Prince St.	3,750.00	505 Queen	3,750.00
230 N. Alfred	1,800.00	501 Queen	4,000.00
228 N. Alfred	1,800.00	613 S. Washington	4,500.00
224 N. Alfred	2,000.00	205 S. Royal	5,250.00
1923 Duke	2,000.00	209 S. Royal	5,250.00
1300 Princess	5,000.00	204 S. Pitt	2,000.00
322 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	1113 Prince St.	3,500.00
525-27 S. Alfred	1,600.00	333 S. Patrick	1,000.00
123-25 Duke	4,500.00	130 N. Fayette	3,000.00
114 N. Patrick	3,500.00	810 Prince	6,500.00
326 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	714 Wythe	4,750.00
320 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	319 S. Pitt	4,500.00
328 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	521 Duke	5,000.00
108 Commerce	2,000.00	1303 Prince	2,000.00
Washington & Pendleton	7,250.00	624 N. Washington	5,500.00
311 Queen	2,200,00	115 S. St. Asaph	5,000.00
125 N. Washington	5,000.00	113 S. St. Asaph	4,500
512 Duke	8,500,00	118 N. St. Asaph	3,000.00
117 South Lee	3,900.00	120 N. St. Asaph	4,000.00
1018 Queen street	2,100.00	1014 Prince St.	4,500.00
408 Wilkes	2,000.00	323-25-27 S. Patrick each	1,600.00
323 N. St. Asaph	1,200.00	702-04-06-08-10-12-18 N. Columbus, each	1,850.00
721 Queen	5,250.00	216 Wolfe St.	2,800.00
212 King	3,000.00	117 S. Henry	5,550.00
623-29 S. Patrick each	800.00	224 S. Washington St.	7,900
514 Queen	1,000.00		
427 S. Fairfax	4,750.00		

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P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.40, 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40, A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays
‡Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

A. M.—*5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.50, 10.35, 11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.55.

‡Except Sundays.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains, Alexandria, Virginia. The following schedule figures published as information and not guaranteed.

SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
7:27 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	9:18 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Abbeyanna)	9:13 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:37 a.m.	(Coaches)	11:13 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:58 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
2:57 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:08 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	11:00 a.m.†
4:22 p.m.	(Local)	10:58 a.m.
6:22 p.m.	Wash'ton-Warrenton	7:53 a.m.†
10:00 p.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	
	Washington-Charlottesville	
7:17 p.m.	N.Y.-Augusta-Aiken	7:18 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:02 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:43 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
11:02 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.
	Charlotte-Washington	6:48 p.m.

WASHINGTON-SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.		North.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
12:10 a.m.	(Local)	
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:35 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7:55 a.m.	(Local)	12:00 m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:47 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
10:52 a.m.	(Local)	8:10 a.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:37 a.m.	(Express)	7:50 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
1:12 p.m.	(Local)	1:40 p.m.k
	New York-Tampa-Key West	
3:32 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	3:10 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:17 p.m.	(Local)	8:32 p.m.
	Washington-Columbia-Memphis	
6:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12:45 p.m.
	New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach	
8:07 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	9:20 a.m.
	Washington-St. Petersburg-Tampa	
9:17 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	9:10 a.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Express)	3:28 p.m.†
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Local)	6:12 p.m.†
	Quantico-Washington	
	(Local)	2:35 p.m.‡

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500,000 MEN TO VOTE

Brotherhood Officials Say They Cannot Accept the Wilson Settlement

Washington, Aug. 27.—An immediate vote will be taken by the 500,000 railway shopmen on President Wilson's compromise offer of a 4-cent wage increase and his appeal to them to desist from further wage demands pending the government's efforts to reduce the cost of living.

Telegrams calling for his vote, to be reported by wire, were sent out yesterday to the shopmen's locals by the officials of the railway brotherhoods. A vote in the negative will be taken by the officials to mean that the shopmen reject the President's proposition and wish to strike in order to secure their original wage demands.

The railway brotherhood officials notified Director General Hines yesterday that "knowing the sentiment of the membership," they could not accept as a basis of settlement the rates established in his proposition, as submitted by the President.

FIGHT FOR THE TREATY

Hitchcock Says it Will be Ratified Before the End of September

President Wilson and Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock discussed for an hour late yesterday the final strategy to be pursued by administration forces in the fight for the ratification of the peace treaty in the Senate.

"The treaty," said Hitchcock "will be ratified before the end of September, and every amendmnt will be defeated."

Hitchcock declared that what ever transpired in the Foreign Relations Committee would be of slight importance. The committee today adopted, by a vote of nine to seven, a blanket amendment, which would remove the United States from representation on every European commission which is an outgrowth of the Peace Conference.

THEATRES

INGOMAR THEATRE

Tonight at the Ingomar Theatre a brand new "Flying A" picture, that is being hailed everywhere as one of the most absorbing romances ever flashed upon the screen. It is "The Tiger Lily," the pictured love story of a beautiful Italian girl living in America. As played by Margarita Fisher in the title role, it presents a rare study in human emotions—love, fear, sympathy, hate, jealousy, pathos, revenge—brightened by youth and romance and touches of delightful humor.

GRAND THEATRE

The glamor of the elopement seems to hold pretty Louise Huff in its spell. The little Paramount star eloped in a motor car in the adaptation of Booth Tarkington's "Seventeen" in which she co-starred with Jack Pickford early in her screen career. Now she slides down a grape vine to make her escape and join her lover in an adaptation of Dickens' "Great Expectations" in which she is again co-starring with Jack Pickford. It is the Paramount attraction at the Grand Theatre tonight. Like "Seventeen," this adaptation was also staged by Robert G. Vignola. Also E. K. Lincoln in "Elmo the Mighty."

RICHMOND THEATRE

"Love Insurance," at the Richmond Theatre tonight abounds in unique and important character parts, and the leading actors and actresses who play them have ample opportunity to do their best work. The scenes are laid in a beautiful spot in Florida, and the plot deals with the efforts of a conscientious insurance agent to subordinate duty to love and hasten the marriage of the girl he loves to a rival. However, Cupid will not be foiled, and it all turns out happily in the end. Bryant Washburn is the likable young insurance agent, while beautiful Lois Wilson is the woman in the case.

Mrs. Sidney Drew, supported by Donald McBride, will be seen with the above in her latest Paramount-Drew comedy "Bunkered," at the Richmond Theatre tonight. This is a story of the golf links written by Emma Anderson Whitman, author of "Romance and Rings," in which the late Sidney Drew scored so genuine a success several months ago.

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